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Invention: DEVICE HAVING IMPROVED SURFACE PLANARITY PRIOR TO MRAM BIT MATERIAL DEPOSITION (amended)

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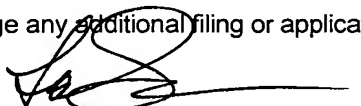
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated June 16, 2005 (Paper No. 0605), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are shown beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.